

THE FRANK TAYLOR STORE

1898

Ten Years the
Peoples' Favorite

WE HAVE JUST CLOSED OUR TENTH YEAR OF SUCCESSFUL MERCHANDISING IN JOHNSON City. Ten Years of buying and selling in your midst. These Ten Years of experience and study of the Needs and Requirements of our customers enables us to better serve you than Ever Before. Our big Fall Stock will Meet Your Every Need, purchased with unusual care and on a low market, we are able to offer the choicest of Merchandise at Most Flattering Prices!

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Shoe Department

Our aim in this Department is to sell only such Shoes as are really reliable and of known merit. We are agents for a number of factories that make high class footwear. We sell W. L. Douglass Shoes for Men and Boys, Zeigler Shoes for Ladies, Misses and Children, Kreider's Shoes for Children. You will find any of them absolutely reliable.

Dress Goods Department

Our Dress Goods Department is one of the best in East Tennessee and we will be glad to supply your needs in fine or medium priced dress goods. In this connection we also desire to mention our Silk Department which we believe cannot be surpassed in the city. We offer the newest weaves in Silk and the most exclusive patterns. See us when in need of Silks.

Ladies Ready-to-Wear Department

This Department in our store has been very materially improved for the season. We have added a complete stock of Ladies Tailor-Made Suits and the large numbers we have already sold is proof that the Suits are Right and the Prices Low. We also carry a beautiful line of Ladies, Misses and Children's Coats. We offer the Best Values in Ladies Skirts ever brought to this city. We invite you to look at these garments. Another very attractive feature of our Ready-to-Wear Department is the elegant line of Plain and Fancy Waists for Ladies. Beautiful Silks and Fancy Nets, also the Plain Tailored Linen Waists. We have sold a large number of these and would be glad to show them to you. We call special attention to our line of Silk Petticoats. These we are able to sell for much less than ever before.

Hosiery and Underwear

We have formed a connection with the best houses in the hosiery and underwear business and sell only dependable lines of these. We sell Wayne Knit Hosiery for Ladies and Children, Once Worn Always worn. Our specialty for Children is "Pony Stockings." Satisfaction guaranteed. See our large variety of underwear before buying. We are especially anxious to demonstrate the merits of our Fall and Winter Underwear.

Mail Order Department

We have been paying special attention to our Mail Order Department and it has gotten to be an important factor in our business. Every mail order receives prompt and careful attention. Write us for samples, or any information you desire, and you will receive a prompt reply.

We will not attempt to make a more elaborate

description of our store; we earnestly invite you to call and see us and let us demonstrate the real quality of our goods.

214 Main Street

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Telephone No. 147

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ONE CENT A WORD

House, Rooms, Board Wanted. Found or Lost. House for Sale. Land for Sale. Or anything you Want to Sell or Exchange. (No Advertisement will be taken for less than Ten Cents, except the Free Ads.) FREE! WANTS FREE! Situations or Help Wanted, Boarders Wanted by private families, Free (Copy for Free Ads. not over 25 words, must be in The Comet Office by Wednesday)

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Success Magazine requires the services of a man in Johnson City to look after expiring subscriptions and to secure new business by means of special methods unusually effective; position permanent; prefer one with experience, but would consider any applicant with good natural qualifications; salary \$1.50 per day, with commission option. Address with references, R. C. Peacock, Room 102, Success Magazine Bldg., New York. 67-21

SALES AGENTS WANTED—\$35.00 per week or 400 per cent. profit. We want one permanent agent in this locality for the largest picture and frame house in America. Experience unnecessary. We instruct you how to sell our goods and furnish the capital. If you want a permanent, honorable and profitable position, write us today for particulars, catalogue and samples. Frank W. Williams Company, 1214 W. Taylor St., Chicago, Ill. 68-41

FOR SALE or RENT—Houses, Lots, Farms. If you have property for sale or rent, list it with W. A. Kite & Co., 127 Spring St. We will find customers. 68-41

FOR SALE—A 14-syrup all marble soda fountain, cost \$1,500 new. Will sell or trade at a bargain. Write for particulars.—The Comet.

To rent, two or three rooms, furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping. Enquire at Kite & Co.'s, No. 127 Spring Street. 68-41

East Tennessee Farming Lands for Sale. In "The Land of the Sky." Noted Health Region of the United States. Write for our 20th Century Catalog TODAY—NOW. List your property with us. T. L. Rogers & Son, Farming Lands a Specialty. CLEVELAND, TENNESSEE.

For sale, houses and lots and vacant lots in every part of the city. W. A. Kite & Co., 127 Spring Street. 68-41

LOST and FOUND

Lost cow—Red and white spotted dehorned cow strayed away three weeks ago. Will pay liberal reward for return. H. W. Lyle.

LOST—A gentleman's Ring with oblong moss agate. Finder can leave at Comet office and receive reward. O. H. L.

Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff. 65-51

WANTED—Boarders

TABLE BOARDERS WANTED—A few table boarders will be taken at a reasonable rate. Apply to Mrs. Fannie Crumley, King street.

SUPPLEMENTAL

REGISTRATION.

A supplemental registration will be held in the various wards of Johnson City at the usual places on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, NOVEMBER

2, 3 and 4, 1908

for the purpose of registering such voters as have not heretofore registered, or who have changed their residence since last general registration. Books open from 8 a. m. until 9 p. m. This October 7, 1908. HASKELL H. DYER, Chmn. A. J. BAXTER. A. L. SHIPLEY. 65-41

WANTS—Miscellaneous

For sale or trade for cow or farm products, almost new bicycle. Enquire at Kite & Co., No. 127 Spring St. 68-41

Buy groceries at less price at Jackson Grocery Company's.

Have your repairing done or shoes made by W. C. Pierce, three doors from railroad, on West Market street.

The best steel range sold in the town for the money is the "Unesda" sold by S. B. White.

Prompt delivery at Jackson Grocery Co's.

Use Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff. 65-51

Shoemaking and repairing neatly and promptly done by W. C. Pierce, on West Market street, 3 doors from railroad.

If you want any concrete work done call on Geo. R. Brown. 68-41

S. B. White has a good stock of blue flame oil and gasoline stoves in stock at lowest prices.

Everything in season at Jackson Grocery Co's.

For sale, desirable farms in large or small tracts. Also truck gardens near the city. W. A. Kite & Co., No. 127 Spring street. 68-41

Try a slice of country ham at Jackson Grocery Co's.

Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff is the highest grade Snuff. 65-51

SEALED PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at office of Treasurer, Mountain Branch, N. H. D. V. S., National Soldiers' Home, until 12 o'clock m., November 10, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of 8,900 square feet Sheet Copper Flooring, laid in place; until 12 o'clock m., November 11, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of repairs supplies, Hardware, Pipe Coverings, Paints, Brick, Cement, Crushed Stone, etc., in accordance with instructions, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information may be had upon application to Paul E. Divine, Treasurer. 66-41

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at office of Treasurer, Mountain Branch, N. H. D. V. S., National Soldiers' Home, until 12 o'clock m., November 27, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Household and Hospital Supplies; until 12 o'clock m., November 30, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Farm Supplies; until 12 o'clock m., December 4, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of repairs supplies; until 12 o'clock m., December 7, 1908, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of Current Expenses and Clothing Supplies, in accordance with instructions and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information may be had upon application to Paul E. Divine, Treasurer. 1268-41

There is always satisfaction in knowing you have the best—so use Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff. 65-51

Killen, Ala., Sept. 10, 1908, Tennessee Valley Fertilizer Co., Florence, Ala.

Gentlemen:—This year I planted some oats, using 200 pounds of your special wheat fertilizer to the acre, and it yielded me 60 bushels to the acre. Also, I used it under wheat, and the yield was more than doubled. I am a firm believer in the merit of your fertilizer, and will buy from your company this fall. Yours truly, G. G. HAYGOOD.

WILL OPPOSE CHESTNUTT

James Kirkpatrick, Independent Candidate for Bloater, was in Bristol last Saturday.

James Kirkpatrick, a successful farmer of White Horn, Hawkins county, is a visitor in Bristol today. Mr. Kirkpatrick has announced himself as an independent democratic candidate for joint representative of Sullivan and Hawkins counties, and is now making a canvass of the two counties. He claims to have the support of a large element of his party in Hawkins county. The republicans have made no nomination for this office, and the result is that the race will be between Mr. Kirkpatrick, as an independent democrat, and Judge Samuel L. Chestnutt, the present florial representative.—Bristol News.

DAVID M. BUCK

RUNS FOR OFFICE

David M. Buck, formerly of this city, is a candidate for the legislature in Yancy county, N. C., and seems to be suffering the ills of all candidates if the following from the Black Mountain Eagle is true: "D. M. Buck, the democratic candidate for representative, is out in a circular branding as false the various charges made against him, as to what measures he will advocate if elected to the legislature. Some of these charges against Mr. Buck are preposterous. In fact, they are very silly."

TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church celebrated their twentieth anniversary with Mrs. R. C. Hunter last Thursday afternoon. The home was beautifully decorated with golden rod and chrysanthemums. Mrs. J. J. Adams gave a report of the twenty years' work, she being the oldest member present when the society was organized. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Williams also gave interesting readings. After adjournment refreshments were served by Misses Sarah and Nellie Hunter.

HOME WEDDING

AT CASTLEWOOD

Castlewood, Va., Oct. 24.—The nuptials of Miss Eugenia Dickenson and Hon. A. Sidney Higginbotham were solemnized here at 10 o'clock Wednesday at "Melrose," the beautiful home of the bride's parents. Miss Dickenson is the daughter of Senator and Mrs. R. Walter Dickenson, and is one of the most popular and attractive young ladies in Southwest Virginia, much admired and esteemed by a host of friends, both here and other sections of the country, where she has been a prominent figure in social circles. Mr. Higginbotham is one of the leading lawyers of the excellent bar at Tazewell, Va., and is widely noted for his exceptional talent and ability as consulting counsel.

A STATEMENT.

Editor of The Comet: Will you allow me through your paper to correct a statement, which I am reliably informed, Dr. Royston is making, which statement is that he has in his possession a letter that I wrote to him while a member of the Legislature, asking him to use his influence and vote for bonding this county for public roads. This statement is positively false, and I have deposited in the Jonesboro Banking and Trust Co. \$100.00 to be paid to Dr. Royston on his presentation of any letter I ever wrote to him on the subject of bonds, or any other subject. My object in writing this is that the people of the county may not be misled in this matter. Very respectfully, W. R. REEVES.

Local and Personal

Miss Marion Friberg was in Bristol Monday.

Mrs. Paul Wofford has returned from a visit to Bristol relatives.

W. H. Cox and son, Tate, were down from Bristol last Sunday.

Dr. Dan Trigg visited homefolks in Abingdon, Va., last week.

Dr. M. P. Carico was down from Bristol Thursday for the day.

Mrs. Mattie Preston Crockett, of Bristol, is the guest of Mrs. Fulton.

Miss Luelle King, of Bristol, was the guest of Miss Mary Lyle last week.

Rev. Dayton Dobbs and J. E. Bradling are attending synod at Memphis.

Mrs. Sallie Belton has returned from a visit to Mrs. Ina Massengill at Bristol.

Mrs. M. C. Leach and children are visiting homefolks in Sullivan county.

Rev. M. P. Carico, of Bristol, has been a prominent visitor in the city this week.

George R. Brown is putting a granolithic pavement around the jail at Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Adams came down from Bristol last Thursday to see the carnival.

T. H. Groner and wife have returned to Clinchport after a short visit to I. A. Biddle and wife.

Mrs. Hannah Bieley and Miss Pet Fain were down from Bristol and spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. W. D. Boring has returned from Dalton, Ga., where she was treated in Dr. McAffee's sanitarium.

Miss Nita DeArmond has returned from the Newport sanitarium and her friends are pleased to know she is greatly improved in health.

Tacky party Saturday night at the Hippodrome Skating Rink, Halloween. Music by Johnson City Band. Admission 10 cents, use of skates 15 cents.

Rev. John T. Brown, J. E. Crouch and C. C. Taylor have been in Chattanooga this week attending the state convention of the Christian church.

Earl Cloyd drew the Art Range given away at the fair by the Armbrust-Smith-Parkis Co. and Will Keebler drew the heating stove given by the Summers-Parrott Hardware Co.

W. B. Coon has returned from a short visit to his old home in Pennsylvania. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Mitchell, the mother of Mrs. Coon, who will visit here for several weeks.

Capt. C. W. Battie and wife, of Greensboro, N. C., are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hart. Capt. Battie had charge of the Watauga Water Co. several years ago and returns to find great improvement in Johnson City, much to his gratification.

W. B. Coon, of Johnson City, Tenn., was the guest of Dr. W. Simpson, of North Ninth street, during last week. He participated in the republican rally Saturday and was one of the aides on the chief marshal's staff in the parade. Mr. Coon pronounced the republican rally the most brilliant and elaborate political event which he had attended in several years.—Indiana, Pa., Progress.

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NOTICE

Chaplain Rev. J. A. Ruble will fill the pulpit of the United Brethren church next Sunday, Nov. 1st, at 10:30 a. m., in the absence of the Pastor, Rev. H. T. Athey, who is attending annual conference, in session at Knoxville, Tenn. Everybody is cordially invited to the service.

To Snuff Users

When you buy Snuff you want the best. Red Band Pure Scotch Snuff is the kind that will give you complete satisfaction. It is made from the highest grade of snuff tobaccos, carefully cured, and is all its name implies—a pure Scotch snuff of the very highest quality. 65-51

WASHINGTON CONNTRY FAIR

Prizes Awarded to the Winners in the Various Departments Last Week—The Fair a Success.

The following is a list of first prize awards:

Home and Floral Department.

CLASS A.

Homemade candy, Mrs. Herbert Russell.

Beaten biscuits, Mrs. Jas. A. Martin.

Fruit cake, Mrs. John Lamb.

Chocolate cake, Mrs. P. M. Ward.

Yeast bread, Mrs. C. W. Walden.

Salt rising bread, Mrs. S. M. Haun.

White cake, Mrs. Bascom Crumley.

Tea cakes, Mrs. E. H. Good.

Caramel cake, Miss Belle Miller.

White iced cake, Mrs. W. B. Harrison.

CLASS B.

Jar canned tomatoes, Mrs. Sam Millard.

Glass blackberry jelly, Mrs. Jas. A. Martin.

Glass grape jelly, Mrs. A. B. Biddle.

Strawberry preserves, Mrs. A. B. Biddle.

Pear preserves, Mrs. Ivie McNeese.

Quince preserves, Mrs. E. F. Young.

Apple preserves, Mrs. T. V. McCown.

Apple jelly, Mrs. T. V. McCown.

Cake pickles (sour), Miss Eva Lusk.

Mixed pickles (sour), Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

Canned peaches, Mrs. Collins.

Canned pears, Mrs. H. B. Crumley.

Cake pickles (sweet), Mrs. H. B. Crumley.

CLASS C.

Best display jellies and preserves, Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

Best display canned vegetables, Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

CLASS D.

Woolen comfort, Mrs. W. S. Mitchell.

Calico pieced quilt, Mrs. Isaac Humphrey.

Fancy cotton quilt, Mrs. J. A. Martin.

Silk quilt, Mrs. E. T. Hart.

Woolen quilt, Mrs. J. M. Depew.

CLASS E.

Fancy apron, Mrs. Guy L. Smith.

Hemstitched handkerchief, Mrs. Guy L. Smith.

Read work, Mrs. Herbert Russell.

Shadow embroidery, Mrs. R. B. Morrell.

Kitchen apron, Mrs. Walter Haun.

Silk embroidered center piece, Mrs. Jas. O. Lewis.

Drawn work handkerchief (2), Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

H. S. lace trimmed handkerchief (3), Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

Calico dress, Mrs. J. O. Lewis.

Percale dress (sewing machine prize) Mrs. Addie Fisher.

Rafia work, Mrs. W. P. Harris.

Sofa pillow, Miss Belle Miller.

Point lace handkerchief, Mrs. Stella McLeod.

Corset cover, Miss Eliza Wood.

Baby sack, Mrs. H. C. Beasley.

Baby cap, Mrs. I. H. Panake.

Crocheted shawl, Mrs. E. A. DeVault.

Pin cushion, Mrs. L. M. Dunn.

Drawn work, Mrs. M. P. Johnson.

Battenberg lace work, Mrs. Sam Carr.

Drawn work handkerchief, Mrs. R. R. Roadman.

Shadow embroidered waist, Miss Sarah Nugent.

CLASS F.

Fern collection, Miss Sallie Faw.

Chrysanthemums, J. F. Venable.

Begonia, Mrs. T. V. McCown.

Chrysanthemum collection, Miss Sallie Faw.

Cut flowers, J. F. Venable.

CLASS G.

Oil painting, Miss Kathleen Gaunt.

Painting on china (2), Miss Kathleen Gaunt.

Crayon, Mrs. T. J. Cox.

Water colors, Miss Corneal Amell.

Hand painted china, Mrs. S. C. Wil-

FORTY-FOUR PRISONERS

Result of Sunday Round-Up at Reelfoot Lake—Some Well-Known People Arrested.

Camp Nemo, Reelfoot Lake, Tenn., Oct. 23.—Forty-four more prisoners, including two women, were brought in today as the result of the murder at Walnut Log last week of Capt. Quentin Rankin by masked night riders. In addition, seven others, including one woman, were arrested by the troops, but paroled. Among those arrested are William Pratt, hotelkeeper at Samburg and well known; J. D. F. Carpenter, Union City attorney, who Col. Taylor charges wrote letters to Taylor and Rankin which were instrumental in carrying them on the fatal trip to Walnut Log; William Brewer, a 60-year-old farmer, his wife and son.

No charges against any of the arrested ones have been made public. Aside from the arrests, the day passed quietly with the troops in the disturbed region.

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Burnt Wood, Mrs. J. W. Cardwell.

Burnt leather, Mrs. J. W. Cardwell.

Best pencil drawing, Hattie Baker.

CLASS G, CHILDREN.

Patch quilt work, Elberta Cox.

Pencil drawing, Oscar D. Lewis.

Best map Tennessee, Gertrude Williams.

Baby Show.

The twins of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Showman were awarded the premium for twins. Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whitlock was awarded the prize for prettiest boy baby, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LaPrade was declared the winner of the prize for prettiest girl baby.

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CITIZENS NEED A REVIVAL

Rev. J. J. Robinette Urges That all His Brother Workers Join in